

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. **(currently amended)** A sticker₁ comprising a first adhesive region [[layer]] on one end side of a sheet piece formed into a predetermined plane shape and a second adhesive region [[layer]] on the other end side of the sheet piece,

wherein the second adhesive region [[layer]] is located inwardly of ~~provided inside~~ the other end of the sheet piece and in such a position as to maintain a substantially plane-contact state when the sheet piece is attached to a predetermined object₁ to which the sheet piece ~~paper leaf~~ is to be attached or stuck₁ and to maintain ease of peeling from the other end.

2. **(currently amended)** A sticker₁ comprising a first adhesive region [[layer]] on one end side of a sheet piece formed into a predetermined plane shape and a second adhesive region [[layer]] on the other end side of the sheet piece,

wherein the second adhesive region [[layer]] is provided at an inward distance of about 15 mm or more from the other end of the sheet piece and in such a manner as to maintain a substantially plane-contact state when the sheet piece is attached to a predetermined object₁ on which the sheet piece is to be attached₁ and to maintain ease of peeling from the other end.

3. **(currently amended)** The sticker according to claim 1, wherein [[an]] a third adhesive region [[layer]] is further provided between the first and second adhesive regions layers.

4. **(currently amended)** The sticker according to claim 1, wherein a length of an area

between an end edge on the other end side of the second adhesive region [[layer]] and the other end is set to be about one-fifth or more of a length of the sheet piece.

5. (new) The sticker according to claim 1, wherein a distance between the first and second adhesive regions is shorter than a distance from the second adhesive region to the other end of the sticker.

6. (new) The sticker according to claim 2, wherein a distance between the first and second adhesive regions is shorter than a distance from the second adhesive region to the other end of the sticker.

7. (new) A sticker, comprising:
a sheet material having two opposite major surfaces;
and first and second adhesive regions both disposed on one of said major surfaces;
the first adhesive region being disposed adjacent an edge of said sheet material;
the second adhesive region being spaced from the first adhesive region and an opposite edge of said sheet material by first and second areas of said major surface of said sheet material, respectively, at least said second area being free of adhesive material;
wherein a width of said second area, as measured in a direction from the edge adjacent to the first adhesive region to the opposite edge, is larger than a width of said second adhesive region, as measured in said direction.

8. (new) The sticker according to claim 7, wherein the width of said second area is at least 15 mm.

9. (new) The sticker according to claim 7, further comprising a third adhesive region inside the first area, said third adhesive region being spaced from the first and second adhesive

regions, respectively.

10. **(new)** The sticker according to claim 7, wherein the width of said second area is at least one fifth of a width of said sheet material as measured in said direction.

11. **(new)** The sticker according to claim 7, wherein the sheet material is rectangular and the first and second adhesive regions include adhesive strips extending parallel to the opposite edges of said rectangular sheet material.

12. **(new)** The sticker according to claim 7, wherein a width of said first area, as measured in said direction, is smaller than the width of said second area.

13. **(new)** The sticker according to claim 12, wherein said first area is free of adhesive material.

14. **(new)** The sticker according to claim 7, wherein said first and second adhesive regions include adhesives that releasably adhere to a material of other major surface, so that said sticker can be peeled off a stack of multiple stickers identical to said sticker.

15. **(new)** The sticker according to claim 7, wherein the opposite edge of said sheet material is free of adhesive material.